

**Swift Current Minor Hockey Association  
Monthly Meeting Minutes – September 18th, 2023  
Walker Place**

1. Call to Order:

Cheyenne Arntsen called the meeting to order at 7:04 pm

2. Roll Call/Regrets:

Present: Cheyenne Arntsen, Dave Smith, Larry Empey, Paul Hegglin, Anne Ailsby, Kirstin Rondeau, Eric Bloom, Brad Torry, Jaimie Leblanc, Rej Stringer, Greg Hurrell, Sheldon Paulhus, Adrian Chubaty, Nola Smith, Shawn Irwin, Vaughn Penley, Ian Schafer, Cory Zacharias, Mike Olfert

Regrets: James Willett

3. Additions/Adoption of Agenda:

Anne Ailsby moved to accept the agenda as presented. Brad Torry seconded. Carried.

4. Acceptance of Minutes from Sept 05th<sup>th</sup> 2023.

Jaime Leblanc moved to accept the minutes, seconded by Larry Empey. Carried

5. Old Business:

Rules & Regulations, and amended Constitution are now posted on the SCMHA Website.

Motions to accept AA Coaching Staffs-Please see Division reports

7. New Business:

Blake Voth from Global Sports Academy attended the Board meeting to give a short presentation on the Academy, what they do, the goals they are attempting to meet in the future. The academy is for development only from grades 5 to 8. Currently have 20 students from All Saints school. The Academy is looking to expanding to the SCCHS. Blake was thanked for his presentation.

Dave Rathgen Goaltending clinics sent correspondence regarding his availability for sessions this season. Anne Ailsby will follow up with him regarding possible clinics and availability.

Motion made by the Referee division assigner to increase the assigning fees in each game and division. Motion to increase the fees to \$3.00 per slot. Seconded, Carried.

Southwest South Impact Female Hockey Team. There is confusion regarding our involvement with the team and ice slots requested through SCMHA. The matter was

discussed and resolved. Rej Stringer will advise the Team there is no involvement with the team.

10. Communications:     **Friday Sept 15<sup>th</sup>** Minor Hockey Associations complete  
Local Registration  
**Sat Sept 23<sup>rd</sup>** Body Checking Clinic 11:30-1:00P.M. S3 West  
Level 2 Clinic 1:15 to 2:45P.M. S3West. On Ice sessions

11. Financial Report:  
Eric Bloom present. Nothing further to report from last meeting.

12. Division Reports:

***U18:***

**Division Head:** Cory Zacharias

**Date of Report:** September 18, 2023

**Head Coaches:**

U18AA – Kent Silbernagel, Assistant- Terrik Beaudoin, Jason Silzer, Garth Sherven. Manager – Pam Gedny

U18 1 – TBD

U18 2 - TBD

**Discipline/ Concerns:**

**Updates:**

45 Registered for u18

U18AA has submitted roster of 19 players might get 1 or 2 players back to house pending other decisions. Exhibition game against WC losing 3-1

U18-

House evaluations Sept 22,23,24

Might have a second coach just waiting to confirm

2 house teams 31 skaters 6 goalies.

We might be losing a few to Moose Jaw

**Motions:**

Respectfully submitted,

Cory Zacharias

**U15: Division Head:** Mike Olfert

**Date of Report:** September 5, 2023

**Division Head:** Mike Olfert

**Date of Report:** September 18, 2023

**Head Coaches:**

U15AA – Travis Moen

U15 - Team 1 – Curtis Wills (Trevor Schmiess)

U15 - Team 2 – Leo Pritchard (Garnet Unger)

U15 - Team 3 – Kevin Schafer

U15 - Team 4 – Troy Laforge

Motion made-seconded Carried.

**Discipline/ Concerns:**

Only have 7 goalies registered for House League. To have 4 teams we need one more goalie.

There is a goalie looking to come to Swift Current (Kendra Stewart's son). Need to confirm he is coming, or look to bring up a goalie from U13.

**Updates:**

Registration of 62 total for house league. 55 skaters.

Have 4 kids released by Gull Lake looking to play in Swift Current which would increase the skater number to 59.

(Carter Blanke, Mason Magee, Austin Dyer, Talon Hunt)

**Motions:**

1. Accept the coaching staff for the U15 AA team

Head Coach – Travis Moen

Assistant coaches – Chris Kirwan, Mackenzie Johnson, Shawn Irwin

Motion Seconded, Carried

2. To have 4 house league teams allowing 4 late registrations from the kids released by Gull Lake.
3. Motion Seconded Carried

Respectfully submitted,

Mike Olfert

***U13: Kirstin Rondeau* Division Head:**

**Date of Report:** Sept 5, 2023

**Date of Report:** Sept 18, 2023

**House Teams:**

**Head Coaches:**     **SWT AA U13 Broncos**  
Head Coach: Joe Logan  
Assistants -  
Trainer -  
Manager -  
**Mustangs**  
Head Coach -  
Assistants -  
Manager -  
**Chargers**  
Head Coach -  
Assistants -  
Manager -  
**Stallions**  
Head Coach -  
Assistants -  
Manager -

**Discipline/Concerns:**

**Updates:**

52 registered for U13 (currently 20 kids on exhibition roster for U13AA)- 7 goalies registered.

Potentially 3 teams of 17/18 players...still chance of 3-4 players coming back to house league.

2 head coaches lined up so far

**Motions:**

n/a

***U11: Paul Hegglin***

Date of Report: Sept 18, 2023

House Teams:

Ice Wolves

Outlaws

Bandits

Mavericks

Rangers

Discipline/Concerns:

Updates:

72 registered for U11, 9 goalies registered.

Potentially 5 teams of 14/15 players.

4 head coaches lined up so far

Carded tournament 1 team shy of being full, lots of inquiries on home tournament as well.

***U9: Anne Ailsby***

**Division Head:** Anne Ailsby

**Date of Report:** September 18, 2023

**Coaches:** (to be approved)

Derek Thiessen, Head Coach & Mike Piche, Assistant

Scott Cassidy, Head Coach & Joel Rogers, Assistant

Craig Cuthbert, Head Coach & Chad MacLeod, Assistant

Zach Zacharias, Head Coach & Derek Berg, Assistant

Kyle O'Neill, Head Coach & James Willett, Assistant

Motions Made, seconded Carried.

**Discipline/ Concerns:**

None

**Updates:**

72 registered. 5 teams in co-ed that will play with the female team. Skates begin this weekend with evaluations the following week.

Numerous inquiries for the tournament. Should be filled before the next meeting. Carded tournament is tentatively filled.

Respectfully submitted,

Anne Ailsby

***U7: James Willett***

**Division Head: James Willett**

**Date of Report: Sept 18, 2023**

**Discipline/Concerns:**

**Updates:**

94 Registrations for U7.

7 teams for U7 division (same number as 2022-2023).

Sept 23/24 schedule sent out, enough head coaches for 7 teams.

**Tournament Committee:**

Chair – Laurie Krause, Secretary: TBD Treasurer: TBD Prize Table / 50/50: TBD Treat Bags: TBD Programs/Copying: TBD Game Sheets: TBD Mementos: TBD Heart and Hustler Awards: TBD

**Questions:**

None

**Motions:**

Head coach nominations:

Nathan Wiebe, Stefan Rumpel, Cass Hudson, Jason Gerlach, Derek Berg, Cory Tynning, Kody Orr

Motion made by Board Member, seconded, Carried.

James Willett

***Sr. Female: Rej Stringer***

Updates:

There will be 1- U18A Team and 1 U15A Team

Coaches up for approval:

U18 AA

Ken Frohlich ASST

Adrea Brown ASST

Jody Collier ASST

Monty Reich MGR

U15 AA

Cheyenne Arntsen ASST

Jeremy Rondeau ASST

Greg Klevegaard ASST

Kelsey Olfert ASST

Laureen Johnson TRAINER

Kirstin Rondeau MGR

U18A

Brent Siemens HC

Lance Sommer ASST

Mike Shotter ASST

Davyn Longmore ASST

Kim Remple MGR

Pam Kirwan MGR

U15 A

Mike Whitney HC

Darren Johnson ASST

Kris Lindquist ASST

Adrian Chubaty ASST

Brent Stechyshyn MGR

Motion Seconded, Carried

Sincerely,

Rej Stringer Sr. Female Head

***Jr. Female: Adrian Chubaty***

**Date of Report:** Sept 17, 2023

**Updates:** To date there are 69 girls registered in Jr. Female, after the AA team gets registered there will be 80. U13 AA camp was well organized, well attended and had great feedback from lots of participants. I have been actively recruiting for both the U11 and U13 divisions. I am hoping for a few more to help with the U13 numbers in particular.

**Questions:**

I would like to explore changing this rule to allow at minimum female U11 players to register with both a coed team and a female team. With the female team being the primary team. I would also recommend an additional fee to be charged to families wishing to register on two teams.

This item was discussed at Length. No decision at this time. Further information to be forthcoming before a decision is made.

## Article IX - Players-Developmental Teams

1) No player may be registered on more than one team with SHA at any one time, with the exception of Provincial and Carded teams.

### **Motions:**

U13 AA

Head Coach: Cory Weinbender

Asst Coaches: Bobby Smith

Sheldon Paulhus

Clint Busse

Manager: Trenna Fox

U13A Head Coaches:

U11A

Head Coaches: Nash Fontaine

Trent Wagner

U9

Head Coach: Candace Andrews

Motions were Seconded and Carried.

Respectfully Submitted,

Adrian Chubaty

***Registration: Dave Smith***

***Registrations are still coming in for AAA/AA teams and other requests made from division heads.***

***Scheduling: Nola Smith***

Fall ice has been booked as well as AAA summer/fall camps. Working on block ice with the city.

***Officials: Ian Schafer***

**Date of Report: September 18, 2023**

**Updates:**



- Registration portal is now open for all age classes
- We will be back in the classrooms for all officials 15 and under this year. Those officials 15 and under will also be required to attend an on-ice session.
- Officials 16 and 17 years old will attend an on-ice session as well as the virtual clinic and online module requirements
- Senior officials will have to be registered with the safe places program as well as take part in a virtual classroom session
- There are 2 on-ice bookings confirmed for the on-ice sessions for 17 & under:
  - o September 23 @ iPlex - 12:15p - 1:45p (Intermediate ice session)
  - o September 30 @ Fairview West - 1:00p - 2:30p (Junior ice session)
- Currently there are 28 officials registered for the September 30 classroom and ice session
- Classroom session to be held at Fairview school September 30 from 9:00am - 12:00pm
- Membership looks to be similar to last year. As registration is open until the end of December the final number of registered officials will be determined at that time.

***Equipment: Jamie LeBlanc***

***No report, however a suggestion to possibly change the way we purchase jerseys to renting them for AA teams to save costs moving forward than buying new ones each season.***

***Risk Management/Progressive Discipline: Shawn Irwin***  
Nothing to report.

12. Next Meeting:  
Tuesday October 03rd 7:00 pm Walker Place

13. Adjournment:  
Dave Smith